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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND SECOND PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated October 24, 2008, Applicant makes the following election and response (see page 24 of this paper). A petition pursuant to 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a) to the extend the time period for response by two months, from November 24, 2008 through and including January 24, 2009, is submitted herewith along with authorization for payment of the appropriate fee. Applicant believes that no additional fee is due, however the Commissioner is authorized to withdraw any additional fess that may be required or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1662.

Applicant also respectfully requests entry of the following second preliminary amendment. As such, the claims have been amended to more clearly define the subject matter the Applicant regards as the invention.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 24 of this paper.